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## The Insurance Rates To Be Less On Autos; Local Owners Benefit

Every private passenger automobile owner in Massachusetts will have a reduction in his automobile liability insurance rates in 1937, according to tentative rates announced by Insurance Commissioner DeCelles.

The commissioner retains the nine-rate territories, or zones, which he established for 1936, when he reduced them from 22 in 1935. There are few changes in territorial make-ups.

Northfield is in Zone 9 and the rate will be approximately 45 cents less. Western Massachusetts towns and cities fall into three zones, 7, 8, and 9. In the following statement of rates W and X cars are those of light or medium classifications while Y cars are those of the heavy group:

Zone 7—W and X cars, present \$31.40, proposed \$29.95; Y cars, present, \$33.05, proposed, \$32.55.

Zone 8—W and X cars, present \$26.45, proposed \$24.90; Y cars, present \$27.85, proposed \$27.10.

Zone 9—W and X cars, present \$19.25, proposed \$17.80; Y cars, present \$21.60, proposed \$21.45.

The commissioner did not make public rates for motorcyclers, trailers, taxicabs and other commercial vehicles. These will be given out later, when advertisements of rates will be published and the date for the public hearing on the proposed rates, which are much lower than insurance companies demanded, will be announced. The law requires promulgation of the rates by the 15th.

If the tentative rates are made final, the motor car owners of the state will benefit to the extent of about \$2,000,000 as compared with 1936 costs.

The commissioner announced that if the new schedule is put into effect—and he thinks it will be—it will work out so that every municipality in the state will receive a reduction.

## Daggett - Kendrick

Miss Marian Janet Kendrick, daughter of Mrs. James Fotheringham Kendrick, of East Northfield, was married Saturday, Sept. 5, at four o'clock, to Mr. Lawrence Luce Daggett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Daggett, of Boston. The ceremony, at which only the immediate families were present, took place at Russell Sage Chapel, and was followed by a reception at the bride's home on Highland avenue. The Rev. Ellis E. Jones performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a princess gown of ivory spun silk, and carried a formal white colonial bouquet. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Muriel Sherburne Kendrick, who wore ivory spun silk, trimmed with deep blue satin, and a matching hat. She carried a blue and white colonial bouquet. The bride's mother wore a gown of mulberry crepe, with a corsage of yellow roses; the mother of the groom wore black lace and gardenias.

Mr. Daggett had his brother, Mr. Allen W. Daggett of Arlington, as best man. Wedding music was supplied by Mr. Carleton L'Hommiedieu, organist, of Mt. Hermon, and Mr. Allen Daggett, who is a tenor soloist at St. Paul's Cathedral, Boston.

The receiving line at the reception included Mrs. James F. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence L. Daggett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Daggett, Miss Muriel S. Kendrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Daggett. Friends of the bride who assisted at the reception, at which 125 guests were present, were Mrs. Harriet S. Hall, Suffield, Ct.; Mrs. Robert McCalline, Mrs. Wilton Dean, Mrs. Walter Hyde, Northfield; Mrs. William Bollman, Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. A. Gordon Moody, Miss Jean Stanley, Mr. Charles Drury, and Mr. Chandler Holton, East Northfield. Tall baskets of gladioli and low bowls of zinnias made colorful decorations. Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Daggett left by auto for a week in northern New England. The bride's traveling costume was a navy blue and white silk ensemble, with du-bonnet accessories.

Mrs. Daggett was graduated from Northfield Seminary in the class of 1928, and from Connecticut College, New London, in 1932. The groom attended Somerville High School and is a member of the class of 1926 of Harvard University. He has done graduate work at Middlebury College and at the Sorbonne. The couple will live at Mount Hermon, where Mr. Daggett is a member of the faculty.

## South Vernon Folks Have Golden Wedding Observe The Event

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dunklee of South Vernon were married in 1886 and to be exact it was on Sept. 1. Last week Tuesday they proposed to observe it in a quiet way but the members of the Dunklee "clan" just insisted that it had to be at least a family affair and they gathered together to honor the happy couple.

A. A. Dunklee and Florence E. Brown were residents of Vernon. They were both born there and knew each other through childhood. When they decided to marry, it was the day of the old horse and buggy and so they journeyed to Brattleboro and at the Methodist Church parsonage by the Rev. Isaac McAnn were pronounced man and wife.

After the marriage and following a brief wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Dunklee made their home at the Dunklee farm, previously known as the Dickinson House,



A. A. DUNKLEE

in South Vernon, where Mr. Dunklee had operated the farm for a little over a year, having hired it of his father, Nelson Dunklee. A little later he purchased the farm of his father. From time to time he purchased adjoining farms, developing the land, increasing the stock, and building new buildings, until the farm which is now operated by A. A. Dunklee and his sons, Ernest W., and Warren B., comprises approximately 750 acres of land and raises the roughage for a herd of 200 Jersey cattle which in turn produce over a ton of milk per day.

Mr. Dunklee has always been active in town, church and community affairs. He is now serving his 50th year as superintendent of the Sunday School and his 39th year as town treasurer. He was for several years president of the Windham County Farm Bureau, was president of the Eastern States Farmers' Exchange and has since served as a director and member of the executive committee. He is a vice-president



MRS. A. A. DUNKLEE

of the Vermont Peoples National bank of Brattleboro, has served in both branches of the state legislature, and has filled most of the town offices.

Mrs. Dunklee, besides being an efficient wife and mother, has devoted much time to the mission society of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunklee have three children: Louella F., who married C. S. Tenney, at that time an employee of A. A. Dunklee, and now owner of the Tenney Farms in Northfield; Ernest W., and Warren B., who are associated with their father. They have 10 grandchildren: Esther M. Parsons, Elsie, Edith, Grace, Hazel and Ethel Tenney, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Tenney; Ruth, Alma and Alfred, children of Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Dunklee; and Courtland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Dunk-

## Northfield Post Office In New Location Late In The Year

It is unofficially reported that the Northfield Post Office will be in a new location about Dec. 1. An inspector of the department visited Northfield this week to give final consideration to the matter and it is understood he has accepted the proposition of the location of the post office in the corner store of the Proctor block formerly used by the Northfield Press. The new location will be somewhat more central and affords a larger amount of floor space than is possible in the present quarters.

## Send Another Box To Crossmore School

Crossmore School in the mountains of the Carolinas sends word again that it can use all the old clothes its friends can collect and send. Since these clothes, after their re-making are used in the barker of trade for groceries and provisions, an ample supply must be had to constantly feed the young sons and daughters of that mountain country as well as to educate them. If any reader has a supply they would be willing to donate for this purpose, telephone Mrs. Hoehn, 166-2, and arrangements will be made for getting them.

## Announce Engagement

Mr. Kingsley Childs of Brooklyn, N. Y., announces the engagement of his sister, Miss Marcia Hazelton Childs to the Rev. Edward Carroll Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miles Morgan of Northfield. Miss Childs, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Delano Childs of Brooklyn, is a graduate of the Academy of St. Joseph, Brentwood, L. I., and the Moravian College for Women, Bethlehem, Pa., where she was a member of the Phi Mu Epsilon Sorority. Her fiancé is a graduate of Northfield High School, Harvard College, Harvard Divinity School and the Episcopal Theological School of Cambridge. He is at present the assistant minister of the Pro-Cathedral church of the Nativity at Bethlehem, Pa. The wedding will take place Tuesday, Oct. 20 at Forest Hills, L. I.

## Stewart - Cembalistry

Miss Elizabeth Alice Cembalistry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Cembalistry of the Barnardston road, Northfield, was married to Ralph Leslie Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Stewart of Winchendon, in a pretty church wedding at the Congregational church in Northfield on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. W. Stanley Carne in a double ring service.

The maid of honor was Miss Dorothy Stewart of Winchendon and the bridesmaids were Miss Beatrice Cembalistry and Miss Adelia Cembalistry, both of Northfield. The best man was Joseph F. Cembalistry of Northfield and the ushers were Burton Sawtelle of Winchendon and Albert Cembalistry of Northfield. The bride wore a white satin gown trimmed with orange blossoms and white rose buds. The maid of honor wore a blue crepe gown with large hat and accessories to match while the bridesmaids wore pink satin gowns with accessories to match. All carried large bouquets of yellow rose buds.

The bride's mother wore a black crepe gown with accessories and the groom's mother wore black lace.

Decorations at the church were of gladioli and ferns and at the house a large assortment of garden flowers. After a reception to the wedding party and friends at the home, the newly-wedded couple left on a motor trip and will reside at Leominster after their return where they will be at home after October 1. The bride's traveling dress was of dark green with brown hat and coat.

The bride is a graduate of the Northfield Schools and of the Millers River Hospital Nurses' school where she was a surgical nurse. The groom is a graduate of the schools of Winchendon and of Wentworth Institute of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunklee also have two great-grandchildren: Edward and Richard, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parsons.

The many friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Dunklee wish them long life and continued health and happiness. The Press speaks with congratulations in behalf of their many friends in Northfield.

## Finance Campaign Of The Republicans Starts Immediately

An army of unpaid, volunteer party workers, 30,000 strong, recruited by the Massachusetts Republican finance committee, will shortly begin a drive to secure a money contribution from every enrolled Republican in the state, as well as from others opposed to the New Deal and "Curleyism."

The collection of campaign funds has never before been attempted on such a scale by any party, it is said. It is a brand new plan in political financing. The Massachusetts Republican finance committee is undertaking this year to secure all party contributions for local, state and national uses.

The new plan aims to secure the greatest possible number of contributions, large and small, from the rank and file of the party so as to obtain sufficient funds to offset the enormous direct and indirect Democratic war chest, and as an aid in building Republican party enrollment.

When the word "go" is given the force of solicitors will start a systematic canvass all over the state, including Northfield which is under the direction of Mr. A. G. Moody, chairman of the local finance committee of the Republican town committee.

Each solicitor will work from a list of Republican voters. To every contributor will be offered an engraved certificate, with the donor's name written in, a receipt for the money paid, etc. The certificates bear portraits of Landon and Haigis and the names of the state candidates, together with the legend that the contributor "has enrolled with the forces fighting to defeat political dictatorship and the New Deal, by electing to office honorable men pledged to protect our liberties and preserve our institutions."

In connection with the Republican financial campaign Mr. A. G. Moody has called a meeting of the Northfield Haigis-for-Governor club at the town hall for Friday evening, Sept. 11 at 7:30. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

## Autoists Go Slow; Speed Limit Named

State Motor Vehicle Registrar Goodwin has just issued a statement that he will take the licenses away from all drivers who travel anywhere on the roads in this state faster than 50 miles per hour and he evidently means what he says. He also demands that more caution be made in the congested areas. Police of the state and the State Troopers are urged to take the numbers of all cars traveling at an unwarranted speed. Evidently Northfield will not be overlooked for within the last few days state police have visited here each day and on their motorcycles have kept vigil of the highways. Coincident with the action of Massachusetts, New York State has now made the limit 40 miles per hour. In a statement to the police, Registrar Goodwin says:

"The record for the past week, during which 26 persons were killed, indicates the necessity for immediate and drastic action. I wish you would send me the name of any operator going faster than 50 miles an hour, or any operator that you think is going too fast for conditions in congested areas, and I shall immediately take the license away from him."

"Not only will I take the license away from everyone going over 50 miles an hour, but any person who causes injury to another as the result of too much speed will not receive his license back for at least 30 days, and the plates from his car will be taken from him for the same period."

## Observes Birthday

Mrs. Edward M. Morgan was seventy years young on Labor Day and the event was remembered by her family when seventeen gathered at her home around the festive board and extended their personal greetings. The little grand-children vied with the older folks in their demonstration of love and esteem.

State Primaries  
TUESDAY, SEPT. 15  
Town Hall  
Don't Fail To Vote

## Fred B. Smith Dies; Was Religious Leader; Well Known Here

Word reached here last Saturday of the death of Rev. Fred B. Smith noted pacifist and leader in men's work for missionary effort and law enforcement. He was 70 years of age and had been ill for three months. In his generation he had served actively as an evangelist and was well known throughout the world for his various crusades. In character he was an internationalist, and in early life was connected with the work of the Y. M. C. A.

Born in Lone Tree, Iowa, on Dec. 24, 1865, the son of Robert A. and Eudora Dinwiddie Smith, he passed a rugged boyhood in the West when the West was still "wild." He got what schooling he could, and began business life as a salesman in the Western country after attending the State University of Iowa for one year. Later he received degrees of LL. D. from Ursinus College, and S. T. D. from Syracuse University.

He was a former Moderator of the Congregational churches, was an author of several books and a distinguished writer. It seems only a few months ago that the Editor greeted him in Northfield when at the hotel as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Roberts. That afternoon he went over to Mount Hermon when the students were privileged to hear him in a most interesting address. He leaves a widow and five children. His home was in White Plains, New York.

## Will Hold Benefit Rummage Sale Saturday

A rummage sale for the benefit of Virginia Fresh Air Camp will be held in the vacant store in Proctor block, Warwick avenue corner, tomorrow (Saturday) from 2 to 6 p. m. The stock to be sold includes a variety of women's, men's and children's clothes and shoes, a few pictures, books and knick-knacks, etc. Prices will range from ten cents to a dollar for articles worth over so much more. Early purchasers will of course have the best selections. Virginia Camp needs more money to meet expenses, and the committee will appreciate the generous support of friends of the children.

## Plan For Centennial

The Moody Centennial committee appointed by authority of the last town meeting have held a session and are responsible for inserting an article in the town meeting warrant to have Friday, February 5, 1937, proclaimed a Moody birthday anniversary day in Northfield, as a town holiday. The committee have also suggested that a Moody museum and library building be erected to provide for the large collection of Mr. Moody's historical materials. A request has been made of all persons who knew Mr. Moody to write of their personal reminiscences and send the manuscript to Miss Daisy Holton who is secretary of the committee.

Suggestions for the observance of the centennial will be gladly received from all interested persons.

## At Richmond

Our fellow townsman and his good wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Frary who are spending the summer at Richmond, Vt., writes concerning the 18th Annual Pilgrimage to the "Old Round" Meeting House which is to take place this Sunday, the 13th. The sermon will be by the Rev. Arthur W. Hewitt, D. D., Headmaster of the Montpelier Seminary. Mr. Frary will participate on the program with two cello selections. The "meeting house" consisting of sixteen sides is nearly round and was built in 1812, and has been used by various denominations for services. It is now used by the town as a town hall.

## Northfield W. C. T. U.

The next regular meeting of the Northfield W. C. T. U. is being called for Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Sept. 16, at the home of Mrs. Leon R. Alexander on the Hinsdale road. It will be the annual meeting with much business to be considered. Report will be made of the Sharon encampment held last July and those who won this privilege will be heard. All members are urged to be present at this first meeting of the season.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Melrose, N. Y. were holiday week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willey.

## Historical Society Dr. Bronson's Guests At Auld Hunts Inn

On Monday evening, Sept. 14, the members of the Northfield Historical society and their friends will be the guests of Dr. George A. Bronson at a meeting in Ye Auld Hunts Inn in the grand ballroom on the third floor of the building. This large room with its circular ceiling, with its original floor of massive boards once resounded to the music and gaiety of the festive affairs of the town and now is to be honored again through the courtesy of its owners. Dr. and Mrs. Bronson will be the courteous hosts for this event. Mr. Herbert C. Parsons, so well known here, will speak of his personal memories of past activities at this well known and historical building. Miss Daisy Holton is president of the society.

## At Vernon Green

Mrs. Towner of the Vernon Green Tea Room has just returned from a visit to New York and this month inaugurates an additional service of special tea menus. The Tea House will remain open until October 15 and will afford a most pleasant and attractive place for club and group teas, or luncheons. The privilege will no doubt be appreciated by our citizens and their guests.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Brainard Willey are visiting this week in Hudson and Waterbury, N. Y. and Rutland, Vt.

Mrs. Ruby T. Brindle of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mrs. W. A. White on Birnam road.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gutbrodt of Troy were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Whitney on Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newton and son, Aaron, returned Sunday from Wells, Maine. Calvin Field returned home with them.

Mr. A. R. Levering, Miss Levering and Mrs. Grace Cornell went to Huntington on Tuesday to attend a Bible meeting and conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Ray of Providence, R. I., who have spent much of the summer here at their cottage in Mountain Park, have returned to their home.

Mrs. A. R. Lyman was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Field early this week. Her son, Roger, who is located at West Hartford motored up for her.

Miss Marion E. Webster, teacher of piano and violin will again have charge of the music in the Northfield schools and will also resume her private practice in this town.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Griggs have returned from a vacation trip to Wells, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Griggs and Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, all of Troy, joined them for the week-end.

A daughter, Jane Howard, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon of Cambridge at the Waltham hospital on Aug. 19. Mrs. Gordon was the former Elizabeth Howard and at present her mother, Mrs. E. F. Howard is visiting with her at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nelson and daughter, Peggy, of Cohoes, N. Y., and the Misses Elizabeth and Sarah Pearson of Cohoes, were the guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pearson of Winchester road. Mrs. Nelson is Mrs. Pearson's sister.

## Special Town Meeting Called Tuesday Night Many Matters Up

A special town meeting has been called by the Selectmen for Tuesday evening, Sept. 15, at 7:30 o'clock in the town hall and notices to that effect have been posted. The warrant contains a list of articles having to do with many matters, including the transfer of funds to cover costs on bridge account, constables pay for guard-service, for road machinery account, for snow removal and for old age assistance. Separate articles call for reports of the Town History committee, the D. L. Moody Centennial committee and action thereon. Authority is also asked by the selectmen to sell the old stone crusher, and school building No. 9. An article asks for the appointment of a special committee to take charge of the athletic field and another article requests the town to declare February 5th, 1937 a town holiday in memory of Dwight L. Moody. Voters are urged to attend this meeting and declare themselves on these matters.

## LOCALS

Leon Randall has purchased of L. L. Harris his farm on the West Northfield - Hermon road and will take possession soon. Mr. Harris will locate on this side of the river but has made no decision on the property of his choice.

Mrs. Frank W. Pattison of Brandon, Manitoba, who has spent the summer at Gloucester at the summer home of Mrs. M. P. Stanley arrived in Northfield yesterday with her daughters and will be at the home of Mrs. Stanley until Saturday when she will leave for home to join Dr. Pattison who resumed his work there some time ago.

Many enjoyed the fine musical given at the Northfield Hotel last Saturday evening. The artists who were Emilio Calvacca, Carleton L'Hommiedieu and Mr. and Mrs. Al Raymond rendered a most excellent program and the parlors were crowded with friends and guests.

Advertisement in a Texas paper—For Rent: A bed room for a gentleman with a northern exposure, old-fashioned bay window in front.

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**SOUTH VERNON**

Carey Tyler visited his brother Ralph Tyler in Bristol, Ct. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dilbach of Northfield, are moving into Rev. F. H. Leavitt's cottage on the hill.

Mrs. Mary Labelle is failing. She is cared for by her daughter, Mrs. Flossie Johnson, nurse.

A service will be held at the Union chapel in Vernon at 8:00 o'clock next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shallis of Hingham spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. C. I. Holton.

Miss Eleanore Bruce spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Carolyn Gage in West Brattleboro.

Donald Bailey, Misses Nina Gray and Elva Martineau and Ethel Miller are attending Northfield High School from South Vernon.

Rev. F. G. Brooks, accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. G. F. Bruce, went to Hardwick, Vt., Monday, where he spoke both afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bruce and son Walter, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morse and family in North Charlestown, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Dorothy (Gray) Tibbetts of London Ridge, N. H., returned home Monday after spending the week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. George A. Gray.

Mrs. Ralph Holton of West Northfield was called to Belleville, N. J. this week on account of the sudden death of her brother who was killed in an automobile accident.

Misses Grace Bassett, Thelma Holton, Mary and Dorothy Wing, Genevieve Wosniak, Bernard Barnes and Fred Gibson are among others from West Northfield who are attending Northfield High School.

Miss Lilly Zaaluzny and her brother, Nick, returned to their home in New York City, Saturday after having spent their summer vacation with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zaaluzny and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett and her mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson of Amherst, Miss Esther Johnson of Oberlin, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Johnson of Northampton were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Julia Ennis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shattuck were Sunday guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Bouldry in East Bridgewater. Their sister, Miss Thelma French, who had been visiting there returned home with them.

Services will be held at the South Vernon church Sunday with morning worship at 10:45 a. m.; church school at 12:15 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Mid-week service at the Vernon Home, Thursday, at 8 p. m.

Misses Marjorie, Marion and Isabelle Tyler, Gencie Edson, Helen Scherlin, Addibelle Lane, Ruth Dunklee, Walfrid Scherlin, Lawrence Underwood and Walter Bruce, all of South Vernon are attending Brattleboro High School.

**Northfield Grange**

A regular meeting of Northfield Grange was held in Grange hall Tuesday night. It was neighbor's night when Montague Juvenile Grange was invited. Other visitors were present.

The charter was draped for 30 days for the late Mrs. Nellie S. Chamberlin and resolutions were adopted on her death.

It was voted to hold a food sale Saturday, Sept. 12 at 2:30 on the lawn at the house of Colton. The committee appointed was Mrs. W. A. White, Mrs. Mary Ann Field and Miss Mildred Holloway.

It was also voted to appoint a committee to look into the matter of putting on a play before the first of January. The committee appointed were Dr. Florence Colton, Robert Colton, W. A. White and Warren Brown.

The Montague Juvenile Grange put on a short program. Light refreshments were served.

After the close of the meeting the Grange Fair committee remained to make arrangements for an exhibit at the Fair.

**TRINITARIAN CHURCH**  
REV. W. STANLEY CARNE

Sunday School will meet at 10 o'clock. Bible study in all branches of school work. Preaching service at 11 o'clock with special Anthems by the choir. The sermon will present "Man—Fallen, Risen, and Established." At 7:00 o'clock the Senior Endeavor will be led by Miss Lucille Foster. At 8 o'clock the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Saints, and Faithful."

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**SOUTH CHURCH**  
REV. MARY ANDREWS CONNER

9:45 Church School. The re-opening of the school and the organization of the new classes.

10:45 Church Worship. The subject around which the service will turn will be "Is Your Religion A Lord Or A Liar?"

**PERSONALS**

Miss Arline Voria spent the week-end and holiday with her mother at her cottage in Mountain Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Malbon of New York City spent last week-end in Northfield at the Homestead.

Donald R. Sutherland left Monday for Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, West Virginia, to further continue his studies.

Dr. Richard G. Holton is to take a well-deserved vacation and consequently his office will be closed from Sept. 14 to Oct. 5.

Miss Pauline Moor is spending a month's vacation from her work in Boston with her mother at their home on Birnam road.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brown of Brookline were last week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hoehn at their home on Myrtle street.

Mrs. William R. Moody has been spending a week at Watch Hill and participating as a speaker in a Women's conference.

Miss Muriel S. Kendrick returned on Monday to Littleton, N. H., where she is head of the English department in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Drown of the Beers Plain road are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hilliard and daughter of San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Howard Briggs has returned to Northfield after spending the summer at Malden. She will be at East Hall on the Seminary campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of Reading, Pa., visited his mother, Mrs. N. Fay Smith of Birnam Rd., while on a motoring trip during his vacation to Canada.

Mr. A. P. Fitt was the speaker at the Erving Congregational church last Sunday morning. It was men's Sunday and the congregations of Farley and Wendell united.

Dr. Harriett L. Hardy is at the summer home of her family at Dorset, Vt., but will return to Northfield on Monday, Sept. 14 to take up her work as the physician at the Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Loos and family of Princeton, N. J., who have been at the house of Mrs. Loos' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambert G. Moody have returned to their home.

Miss Jean Stanley, daughter of Mrs. M. P. Stanley of Highland avenue, has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to become the Industrial Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. of that city.

Mrs. Herbert Bolton who recently suffered a fall and broke her ankle is now about on crutches and is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Severance on Birnam road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross L. Spencer and family have returned from a six weeks summer stay on the shores of Lake Spofford, where they occupied a cottage at the northern end of the lake.

Miss June Wright will return home from her western trip to California on Sunday and begin her teaching at Center School on Monday. Mrs. Cobb has been substituting for her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Powell and family of Wayne, Pa., have ended their season's visit at "Green Pastures" and returned home. Miss Virginia Powell will enter Mount Holyoke College later this month.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert A. Watson have closed their place here on Linden street and returned to their home at Jamaica, N. Y. The death of a member of Mr. Watson's church summoned them on Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Willard McKinstry of Wilton Centre, N. H., are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan. Mrs. McKinstry is their daughter. Mr. McKinstry is attending the Unitarian Institute at Stoneleigh-Prospect school.

Members of the Book club were entertained by Mrs. A. H. Wright and Mrs. Walter Hyde at their home last Friday evening. The occasion was a shower given to Miss Marion Webster who has just announced her engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gillette and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gillette who reside in Gill have been on a vacation and motor trip thru the Adirondack Mountains to Malone, N. Y. Mr. Vernon Gillette is connected with Spencer Bros. garage.

Miss Priscilla Porter has gone to Manchester, Vt., where she will teach in the Commercial department of Burr & Burton Seminary. She graduated in the Normal Secretarial course of Bay Path Institute in Springfield, on August 1.

**LOCALS**

Mr. Fayette Howard of Maule street who has been with relatives in Brattleboro is now visiting his sister in Bernardston, Mrs. Dwyer.

The auction sale of the effects of Miss Jennie Haight which was held at the Auditorium bookroom on Wednesday afternoon and continued yesterday was well attended and the hundreds of articles offered brought ready buyers and fair prices.

The bi-ennial institute of the Unitarian Ministers' association, consisting of about 70 clergymen in western Massachusetts is being held this week at the Stoneleigh-Prospect school. Rev. C. C. and Mary Andrews Conner have attended from Northfield.

The September meeting of the Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church was held Thursday afternoon in the church with Mrs. N. Louise Rudy the president of the C. V. A. A. as the speaker. The executive board was the hostess and a most interested audience was present.

Be sure you are driving an inspected automobile and that it bears a red sticker. Otherwise it may lead you into trouble. Our local garages have been very busy during the past week caring for the large number of motorists who have brought in their cars.

The double-header ball game on the athletic field of the high school on Labor Day afforded much pleasure to the baseball fans of the town. The Northfield team played the Montague Rod and Reel team and won both games. The first game was won by a score of 13 to 6 and the nightcap which went eleven innings was won by a score of 7 to 6.

**At The Victoria**

Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11 and 12, Joan Crawford and Clark Gable in "Dancing Lady" will be shown on the screen with "Society Doctor" as the co-feature. Starting on Sunday, Sept. 13th and continuing for four days, "Treasure Island" will be shown starring Lionel Barrymore, Otto Kruger, and Lewis Stone. The co-feature is "Waterfront Lady" with Frank Albertson and J. Farrell MacDonald.



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PEN Yellow  
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GRAPES ..... lb 7c  
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APPLES ..... 6 lbs 25c  
Fancy California  
LEMONS ..... 5 for 10c

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Blue Label  
KETCHUP ..... 8-oz. bot. 8c  
YEASTIES ..... pkg. 5c  
PEANUT BUTTER ..... jar 13 1/2c  
SELOX ..... lg. pkg. 11c  
Old New Hampshire  
CLEANSER ..... can 2c  
Lighthouse  
WASHING POWDER ..... 10c  
VINEGAR ..... gal. jug 29c  
Union Jack  
PEAS ..... No. 2 can 2 for 15c  
EGG  
NOODLES ..... 8-oz for 8c ..... 12-oz. for 10c  
Wilson's  
DEVILED MEAT ..... 3 cans 10c  
Sliced or Halved  
PEACHES ..... No. 1 tall can 10c  
In Tomato Sauce  
SARDINES ..... oval can 7c  
(Jap) Sliced  
PINEAPPLE ..... 2 lg. cans 25c  
Del Monte  
PINEAPPLE JUICE ..... No. 2 can 11c  
Brookmaid  
JELLIES ..... 8-oz. glass 9c  
Balloon  
SOAP CHIPS ..... 5-lb box 29c  
Laundry  
SOAP ..... 3 extra lg. bars 10c  
Glass Top Canning  
JARS ..... qt. doz. 69c  
Good Luck  
JAR RUBBERS ..... pkg. 5c  
Paraffine  
WAX ..... lb. pkg. 9c

MANY OTHER SPECIALS  
Come In And Look Over Our Bargains



Helen Morgan, talented star of the stage, screen and radio, defies her piano-sitting tradition by singing while atop a 1937 console Silvertone radio.

### Radios At Sears

Six million receiving sets will be sold by the American Radio Industry during the coming radio season, Mr. Tuck, manager of the Sears, Roebuck store predicted in announcing the arrival of the 1937 Silvertones.

Convinced that the coming year will be the greatest in the history of the radio industry, and knowing that every dealer will make a particularly strenuous bid for his share of the business, Sears' engineers set to work many months ago to develop a new line that they were determined would be the equivalent of any on the market, Mr. Tuck said.

"Radio enthusiasts will this year demand perfect reception obtained with the minimum amount of effort. With this in mind Sears' engineers incorpo-

ated in the 1937 Silvertone the first really new development in radio in several years. It is known as 'automatic flash tuning.'

"By means of this innovation the person operating the set merely turns the dial to his favorite station. The call letters then flash into view and the station comes in perfectly tuned. Automatic flash tuning eliminates noise between stations, which means that there will be no coughs, hisses or squeals and other objectionable noises."

Other features of the Silvertone are its "automatic bass compensation" which makes up for the loss of bass notes as the radio's volume is decreased, and variable tone control. By means of the latter a Silvertone may be adjusted to the tone which will suit both the listener's ear and the acoustics of his home.

### A Candidate Speaks

Dear Editor,

In recent years I have felt that rural interests needed certain attention through legislation as well as otherwise. I have tried to give these matters serious thought and study. Through my contacts as president or other official capacity of such organizations as the Franklin County Fair, Franklin County Dairymen's Association, Franklin County Farm Bureau, New England Council, Shelburne Grange, Franklin County Congregational Conference, as well as other organizations, it is felt that I should be conversant with some of the needs of the people of the district.

For the past four years I have had the honor of serving the First Franklin District as their Representative in the General Court and I have tried to perform the duties before me to the best of my ability. I will concede that there have been many contentious matters before us, some of which had merit or demerit on both sides of the question involved, but on each I have made my decision, and have made it a practice not to evade any issue.

Certain legislation beneficial to the poultrymen has been passed. Dairy legislation of a constructive nature has been enacted. During the peak of the flood I filed a bill with other members of the House and Senate, for immediate bridge re-construction. House Bill 1924 which finally passed was partially based upon that petition. Under Chapter 81 an additional allotment of \$50 per mile has been made to all the highways of our rural towns. of my district benefit annually \$45,000.

The Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers' Association, the Mass. Farm Bureau, town officials, poultrymen, dairymen, as well as many of the citizens of the district have commended me for my interests in their behalf, and my votes upon certain matters.

If my record meets with approval, if it is felt that my legislative experience is beneficial to the district and if the people of the district desire to return me to the House, I assure them that I will do my utmost to be of continued service to the district, and the state as a whole.

Thanking you for the courtesy of your publication, I am  
Truly yours,  
Fred B. Dole

### Repairs Under Way At Meadow Bridge

Work began on Wednesday in making repairs to the Bennett Meadow Bridge by Contractor Hosmer. Half of the bridge on the north side is boarded off and one way traffic is expected to be maintained. Caution must be used by all who use the bridge and very heavy loads will be limited. Iron workers will repair and strengthen the damaged iron and considerable stone will be dumped in the river at the east abutment to provide the rapping of the bank. The work will be hurried along with the least possible inconvenience to traffic.

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**JAMES H.  
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TUESDAY

September 15, 1936

We heartily endorse the record of  
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len and recommend his re-election  
to the voters of Franklin County.  
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County Commissioners.  
Hugh E. Adams, Clerk,  
County Commissioners.



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A black and white photograph of a vintage telephone. The phone is a rotary model with a dark, possibly leather or wood-grain, finish. It has a large, circular dial with white numbers on a dark background. A sign is attached to the top of the phone, featuring the text "IT PAYS TO HAVE A TELEPHONE IN THE HOUSE" in a bold, sans-serif font. The sign is tilted slightly to the right. The background is a plain, light-colored surface.